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NARBERTH COMMUNITY LIBRARY**Court Dismisses
Tax Petition**
Montgomery Court
Apartment Must Pay
1939 Tax in Full

In a decision handed down on December 9, Judge George C. Corson, of the Montgomery County Court of Common Pleas, dismissed the petition of Narberth Apartments, Inc., to settle 1939 taxes due against the Montgomery County Apartment property for one-half the accrued penalties and interest.

In 1939 the property was in litigation as to the valuation assessed against it. Montgomery County Court had reduced the assessment from \$250,000 to \$220,000 and Narberth Borough Council took the case to the State Supreme Court. For that year, the tax bill against the property was \$7810, which includes school and county taxes as well as the Borough. Later, because the taxes were not paid, \$324.50 in penalties and \$1138.83 in interest accrued.

John R. Hall, Borough tax collector, refused to accept payment on \$220,000 and the owners refused to pay on \$220,000. Finally, the Borough lost the case, and the assessment remained at \$250,000.

When the Narberth Apartments, Inc., offered to settle for one-half the penalties and interest due, Borough Council refused, feeling that it would be unfair to other taxpayers who must pay the full amount due on their back taxes. They approved a resolution to accept nothing less than the full amount of tax, penalties and interest.

Judge Corson's decision was in answer to Narberth Apartments, Inc.'s petition against the Council ruling.

In his decision, Judge Corson directed the County Commissioners to satisfy the lien filed for these taxes only upon the payment of taxes based on an assessment of \$220,000 plus legal penalties and interest accruing upon the amount up to the date of payment.

An exception was granted to the petitioner, which means that Narberth Apartments, Inc., may take an appeal within three months from the date of the opinion.

**Waldron Mothers
To Meet Monday**

The monthly meeting of the Waldron Mothers' Club will be held at the Convent, December 21, at 3 p. m.

The guest speaker of the afternoon will be Mrs. J. Bertram Hervey, vice president of the West Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Hervey will use as her subject "The Emancipation of Women." Mrs. Hervey formerly was president of the Federation of Women's Clubs and Allied Organizations, and was one of the Founders of National Art Week.

Tea will be served by the Mothers of the Sixth Grade students.

**NEWS OF THE
MEN IN SERVICE**

Private First Class Carl DeHaven, Jr., who is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., will arrive on Sunday to spend a week's furlough with his mother, Mrs. Carl DeHaven, Grace, South Narberth av., Narberth.

Lieutenant James Ray Parke, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifton Parke, 930 Montgomery av., Narberth, graduated from Officer Candidate School, Aberdeen, Md., Saturday, as Second Lieutenant in Ordnance, and is at home on furlough. He leaves December 19 for Florida, Miss. His brother, Vincent, is a Staff Sergeant at the Air Base Squadron, New Cumberland, Pa.

A sister, Mrs. Randolph Graham, whose husband is a pilot in the Caribbean area, is in the Army Finance department in Philadelphia.

Private Dwight L. Mackell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Mackell, 321 Grayland av., Narberth, who recently graduated from radio operating school in Madison, Wisconsin, has been transferred to Advanced Flying School, Deming, New Mexico.

David C. Casey, 111 Essex av., Narberth, received his commission as First Lieutenant at Hill Field, Ogden, Utah, where he is with the (Continued on Page Two)

**Plan Blueprint Check To Avoid
Inequalities Of Oil Rationing**

Determination of Floor Space Will Avoid
Philadelphia Troubles; Rationing Board
To Investigate Complaints

If necessary blue prints of new houses will be checked in Lower Merion Township and Narberth Borough to insure against any inequalities in oil rationing.

Henry M. Harmon, member of the Montgomery County Rationing Board that includes Lower Merion and Narberth, said that a check of blue prints of new houses and houses occupied by different tenants from last year, would show the actual floor space which is the major factor in determining how much fuel oil shall be allowed for heating.

Such a check, it was pointed out, would prevent inequalities similar to those reported in Philadelphia.

Harmon said: "On new houses and houses occupied by a different tenant than occupied the houses last year, estimates of fuel rationing are based upon the floor space

as reported by the occupants. "The Rationing Board is prepared to conduct investigations on new developments insofar as information of floor space reported checks against the blue prints of houses on file.

"Where there has been any error or injustice, the matter should be called to the attention of the Rationing Board by letter and the matter will be promptly investigated. Errors, wherever proved, will be rectified promptly by the issuing of additional coupons."

Mr. Harmon points out that it is important to bear in mind that anyone renting premises who moves, or buys a house from someone else, should not transfer fuel coupons. Coupons must be turned in at once to the Rationing Board, who will then issue new ones for the new premises.

**Plan Banquet for
L. M. Football Team**
Testimonial Dinner Will
Be Held January 7
At Downs Gym

Louis A. Young, Narberth, former coach at the University of Pennsylvania, and father of Lower Merion's football captain Jack Young, Joseph M. Baltz and Raymond Scott, Ardmore, and George Nellings, Gladwyne, had a group of Main Line citizens which is planning a testimonial banquet for Lower Merion's championship football team.

The banquet will be held in the Downs Gymnasium, Ardmore, on January 7 at 6:30 p. m. It will be open to the public and tickets are now on sale at the high school and at central points throughout the township.

The affair will be financed entirely by subscriptions from local businessmen and followers of the team. The championship soccer team and the Lower Merion High School Band will also be guests.

The general committee is headed by Mr. Young, with Mrs. Mary Scott McShane as secretary; A. S. Benner as vice chairman, and George Nellings as treasurer.

Mr. Baltz is chairman of the program committee and is assisted by William Hayden, Bryn Mawr; Walter Hammonds, Bryn Mawr; Raymond P. Scott, Ardmore; Barney Fischer, Ardmore; Dr. Earl Barr, Ardmore; F. W. Dreher, Ardmore; Mrs. Franklin Kromer, Cynwyd; Walter B. Lowmes, Gladwyne; Dr. Raymond Staley, Narberth; Edward Whiting, Narberth; Dennis Ryan, Merion; Fred Walzer, Narberth; Allie Miller, Narberth; Dr. Frank P. K. Barker, Gladwyne; William Gane, Bryn Mawr; Vincent V. Pearce, Ardmore; Fussell Byerley, Broomall; Russell McGrath, Ardmore.

The budget committee includes H. M. Harman, chairman; Joseph Barnes and Edward Whiting.

**James T. Cushwa
Died on Saturday
At Narberth Home**

James T. Cushwa, resident of Narberth for 16 years, died Saturday at his home, 228 Iona av., following a brief illness due to heart condition.

Funeral services were held Wednesday from 270 South 20th st., Philadelphia, and Requiem Mass was sung at St. Margaret's Church, Narberth. Burial was in St. Denis Cemetery.

Mr. Cushwa was a statistician with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Margaret's Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Agnes Lewis Cushwa, a son David Henry, three sisters, Mrs. C. A. Hammer, of Narberth, Mother Adrian, of St. Joseph's Order, Pittsburgh, Miss Genevieve Cushwa, of Pittsburgh, and two brothers, Charles B., of Youngstown, Ohio, and David H., of Lancaster, Ohio.

**Radio Programs for
Consumer Education**

The State Council Advisory Committee on Consumer Interests is sponsoring a series of radio programs carrying valuable information suggested by the Committee.

The programs appear as follows: KDKA, Monday through Friday, 1:30 - 2:00 p. m.

WOAI, Monday through Friday, 9:45 - 10:40 a. m.

**W. C. Alexander, Jr.
Dies at Haverford**
Prominent Attorney
Was President of
Narberth Bank

William C. Alexander, Jr., president of the National Bank of Narberth, and prominent attorney, died Sunday morning of this week, as the result of a heart attack after having been confined to his home for treatment for the past month.

Last Saturday he talked on the phone with the local institution and said at that time he was feeling considerably better and hoped to resume his duties soon.

His funeral occurred on Tuesday morning, from his late residence, 134 Booth lane, Haverford, and was attended by a number of his fellow-members on the Bank Board.

Mr. Alexander, who was 57, was a member of the long-established Philadelphia law firm of Foulkrod, Sheppard, Porter & Alexander, and he was also a director of the Suburban Company and of Stephano Brothers.

A graduate of Lafayette College, he was a member of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity and belonged to the Merion Cricket Club, Union League, St. Andrew's Society and the Greek War Relief Association.

He is survived by his wife, Edith Forsyth Alexander, and a son, Ensign John Forsyth Alexander, who is on active duty in Norfolk, Va.

Appropriate resolutions were passed by the Directors of the National Bank of Narberth at the meeting held in the bank on Wednesday morning. Plans to elect a successor to Mr. Alexander as president were deferred until after the first of the year.

William Alexander was associated with the old Narberth National Bank as director and solicitor and when depression troubles piled up on it, as they did throughout the entire financial world, he proved himself a skillful guide in keeping the losses to an irreducible minimum and in helping to found a new bank which would be able to cope with the changed conditions and grow stronger with the years. Always he found Narberth a town to conjure with and was fond of amusingly saying that the Borough was invariably connected with a "crusade" of some kind, never failing, however, to be appreciative of (Continued on Page Three)

**Legion Furthers
Scrap Campaign**
Speakman Post to
Place Containers in
Narberth Business
District

To aid in the drive for scrap and salvage of vital war materials, the Harold D. Speakman Post of the American Legion, Narberth, will place containers throughout the business section during Christmas week, in which residents will be asked to deposit small metal articles such as keys.

Every home in Narberth has old keys stowed away in drawers and closets which contain much valuable alloying materials and which are badly needed in the scrap drive. Old brass ornaments, discarded builders' hardware, hinges, etc., which are too small to place in the weekly trash collections and be saved for salvage, can be placed in these containers.

Shoppers in Narberth are asked to collect such small items which can easily be carried on a trip to the store section and drop them in these containers, which will be installed early next week.

The Narberth Legion Post is also cooperating with the local Defense Council which has a salvage committee, to offer its services on other scrap collection efforts. When the scrap drive was first launched a considerable quantity was collected, but this has slowed up, although the need for further search and delivery to junk dealers through the Borough authorities is still urgent. The committee of the Legion appointed by Douglas C. Miner, Post Commander, consists of Burns F. Best, Past Commander and Chairman of Defense Council, Walter P. Miesen, Lew Jenkins and James McCaffrey.

The Legion on Armistice Day donated its cannon on the Community Grounds, two large shells and a machine gun to this drive.

Merion Home Sold

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Miller have purchased the residence at Merion rd., and Bowman av., Merion, from the Marlyn Construction Company through the Harris & Bunting real estate office.

EARLY PUBLICATION

Due to the holidays, the Christmas and New Year's issues will be published on the Tuesday preceding the holiday, instead of on Thursday.

All news and advertising copy for the Christmas issue, which will appear on December 22 must be at the publication office, 8 Cricket av., Ardmore, by noon on Monday, December 21.

All news and advertising copy for the New Year's issue, which will appear on December 29 must be at the publication office, 8 Cricket av., Ardmore, by noon on Monday, December 28.

**County Slashes
Tax Rate Again**
Third Cut Maintains
Pay-as-You-Go Policy
Promised by Peters
And Hillegass

Residents of Montgomery County will receive a surprise Christmas gift from the County Government in the form of another tax reduction for 1943, amounting to 33-1/3 percent.

Montgomery County Commissioners Fred C. Peters, Foster C. Hillegass and Raymond K. Mensch today announced a further cut of three quarters of a mill in the County tax rate to the record low rate of one and one-half mills for all County purposes.

This is the third tax rate slash made since Commissioners Peters and Hillegass made public their pledge in 1938 to operate the County Government on a pay-as-you-go policy. Mr. Mensch, who was elected to the Board of Commissioners three years ago, has joined in the spirit of this plan and the tax reductions have been the unanimous decision of the Board.

The tax cut, which will be made officially early next year, continues Montgomery County's record, that of having the lowest tax rate of any debt-free county in Pennsylvania.

This reduction makes a fifty percent cut in Montgomery's tax rate over a five-year period. The saving to taxpayers as a result of these successive tax rate parings is given as approximately \$1,100,000.

Despite the reductions which have been made in taxes during this five year period, the Montgomery County Commissioners pointed out that they have developed 559 acres of parks in the Perkiomen Valley and along the Pennypack Creek in Abington Township, built and equipped a new \$250,000 hospital at the County Institution District Home and car (Continued on Page Three)

**Chios Heads Committee
Of United War Chest**

Morris Chios, proprietor of the Arcadia Chios Restaurant, Haverford av., Narberth, has been appointed chairman for Narberth of the United War Chest Committee of the Greek Community of Philadelphia.

The Greek Committee held a rally at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel on Sunday.

**Narberth's Christmas Boxes
Have All Been Forwarded**

Final List Included Men Who Left in November; Those Who Go in Future Will Receive Gift Package; Chairman Makes Informal Report

The tall task has been completed and the Christmas Boxes have been forwarded to all the men in the various branches of the fighting forces whose homes are in Narberth, as well as to those indomitable fellows who cope with the high hazards of the Merchant Marine.

In the beginning it was announced that the committee's plans could comprise only those who left not later than October 21, as supplies had to be ordered well in advance, and war conditions made it difficult to secure the quantities which were then specified.

Nevertheless, the final list included all those who were inducted in November, which was the Committee's preference in the first instance, but it was reluctant to state that this could be done until the difficulties imposed by the merchandise situation had been overcome.

Some substitutions had to be made in some of the later boxes, but there will be no protest on that score, as any more recent article of lesser value was supplemented by extra gifts which more than offset whatever disappointment might otherwise have occurred.

As regards the retail value of each package, it is anybody's guess.

**Edwin Dold Named
Borough Treasurer**

New Police Ordinance
Passed at December
Meeting of Council

Edwin P. Dold, 121 Woodside Ave., Narberth, was appointed treasurer of Narberth Borough at a meeting of the Borough Council Monday night, at Elm Hall.

Mr. Dold, who is associated with the National Bank of Narberth, will serve out the unexpired term of Walton M. Wentz who died on November 16. The term runs until January, 1944.

Since Mr. Wentz' death, Henry A. Frye, Borough solicitor, has acted as treasurer pro tem.

The Council adopted a new ordinance regulating the employment and salaries of the Borough police force. The ordinance stipulates that a Sergeant and not more than five patrolmen shall be employed by the Borough.

Salary for the Sergeant will be \$2514 per year; patrolmen, \$2325 per year and probationary patrolmen \$1800. The management and discipline of the police force comes under the office of the Burgess.

Howard D. Simpson, 68 Wynnedale rd., Narberth, addressed Council with a request that a circular turntable or other provision be made at the dead-end of Wynnedale rd., where motorists can turn around without using the driveways of property owners at the end of the street.

A report from John R. Hall, Borough Tax Collector, showed \$1305.60 in property taxes and \$171.88 in occupational taxes collected during November. This leaves a balance of \$9538.87 property tax and \$958.33 occupational tax outstanding.

The re-appointment to the Board of Health of Mrs. Roy C. Williams whose term expires in January was approved.

The police report for November showed four traffic violations and two minor collisions.

During November, the Narberth Fire Company answered 12 fire alarms and two air raid drills, it was reported.

The alarms included one false, nine grills fires, one dwelling fire with very slight damage; and a fall in high tension wire at Station Circle. Six of the calls were in the Borough and six in Lower Merion Township.

**OPA Orders Rationing
Of Oil and Coal Stoves**

The Office of Price Administration has announced that, effective December 18, all new oil and coal fired heating stoves are to be rationed. Dealers may sell only to the Armed Forces of the United States or to individuals presenting a certificate approved by the local War Price and Rationing Board.

New stoves may be purchased only by individuals who are substituting a coal fired stove for oil fired heating equipment or to heat essential living or working space which does not have any other type of heating available or to replace worn-out or damaged stoves.

All local War Price and Rationing Boards have available information on this subject.

CIVILIAN DEFENSE INFORMATION**OPA OUTLINES FACTS
ABOUT POINT RATIONING**

Basic facts on point rationing were outlined today by the Office of Price Administration.

1. Point rationing will be introduced to Americans early in 1943 when war rationing book two is distributed.

2. The purpose of point rationing is to guarantee everyone a fair share of scarce but essential goods while at the same time giving everyone a variety of items to choose from.

3. There are three chief differences between point rationing and the coupon rationing which is now in effect for sugar and coffee.

4. The first important difference is this — under straight coupon rationing, one single coupon entitles the consumer to buy a specific amount of a single commodity — such as, one sugar coupon entitles you to buy three pounds of sugar.

But in points rationing one set of coupons covers a whole group of commodities. For instance, your weeks meat ration coupons would enable you to choose your ration freely between beef, pork, lamb or mutton.

5. The second important difference is this — the coupons in point rationing are of different denominations. Those to be spent in one week, for example, will include a one-point coupon, a two-point coupon, a five-point coupon and an eight-point coupon.

6. The third important difference is this — the various rationed items within one group will have different point values. For example, tenderloin steak, being relatively scarcer, might have a high point value and require a larger number of coupons, while hamburger, being available in greater quantities, would have a lower point value. Thus, in exchange for a ration coupon worth eight points, the housewife might be able to obtain one pound of tenderloin steak or four pounds of hamburger. (Point values have not been set yet, values used here are for illustration only.)

7. The government will set the point value of each item within the group of rationed products and issue an official list. Point values will be based on available supplies and will vary as supplies of particular items increase or decrease.

8. War ration book two will have four pages of blue stamps and four pages of red stamps. The blue stamps will be used for the first group of goods to be rationed by points. The red stamps will be used for the second group of point-rationed goods.

9. The number on each stamp tells how many points the stamp is worth. The letter on each stamp tells what period it is good in. The government will announce these periods in advance.

**ANNOUNCE NEW METHODS
OF FIGHTING INCENDIARIES**

The Council of Defense has been advised by the National Fire Protection Association that incendiary bomb fighting, as characterized by buckets of sand, shovels and posters demonstrating how far to stay from the bombs, have become obsolete; and that new methods of fighting incendiary bombs are now to be used.

The reason for the change lies in the fact that the incendiary bombs now used by the Germans incorporate explosive charges which are likely to cause fatal injury to any one in the immediate vicinity. These bombs cannot be approached closely without extreme danger. The only safe procedure is to keep well away from the bomb for the first five or ten minutes, or until the explosive charge has detonated. A solid masonry wall furnishes (Continued on Page Two)

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protection against the effects of the explosion but ordinary wood walls or light partitions do not. Neither the present new type of German bomb nor the Japanese bombs can be controlled by any bomb extinguisher, gadget or with a bucket of sand.

"Emphasis must now be placed," states the National Fire Protection Association, "on extinguishing the fire started by the bomb rather than on the bomb itself. And the probabilities are that the fire may be of rather large proportions."

Director James M. Landis, of the State Council of Defense, states: "The use of sand and a spray of water for controlling fire bombs also cannot be depended upon, due to the fragmentation effects of the new bombs."

"We recommend, therefore, that every possible means of promoting the use of a jet or solid water stream be developed. The necessary equipment includes an adequate reserve water supply, and water type equipment such as pump tanks, stirrup pumps, garden hose, and other water type extinguishers."

Emphasizing further that "water alone should be relied upon for combating fire bombs and the fires they start," Director Landis urges the public to beware of "incendiary bomb extinguisher," powders and devices such as "scoops," "grabs," and "snuffers" for handling fire bombs and which are now on the market, are entirely without merit and may endanger the lives of persons who depend on them.

THE 'ARRIVAL POSTALS' ARE COMING BACK

To make it convenient for the Service Men to report receipt of the Christmas boxes which went from Narberth, an addressed postal card was contained in each of them, with the request that it should be signed and mailed forth with on the arrival of the carton. The postals have now started to trickle back, with two being received last week and eight this week, as follows:

Received your most welcome Christmas Box and I want to thank most gratefully the good friends who sent it. Also thank Bob for his swell letter. I am sure all the men in the Service are as proud of their town as I am.

F. P. WATWOOD.

A Merry Christmas to you all and in heartiest appreciation of your kind thoughts. Your splendid Christmas package was most welcome and I received it in perfect condition.

GORDON F. BEAL.

Needless to say, my gratitude is beyond expression. I'm awfully proud of Narberth. They certainly have done well by us and we are proud of the people we are fighting for. Thank you sincerely.

W. L. ROBERTSON.

Thank you for the grand gifts you sent me. It makes one cheerful and happy to receive anything from their home town and I think it was very thoughtful and kind of you to remember a soldier abroad.

I appreciate this and have certainly found use for everything you sent me. I trust you will all have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

FRANK J. MARIANO.

I received the wonderful package today and want to thank you very much. Every gift was very well selected and will be very useful. I am sure that every one will appreciate it as much as I do.

BLAINE E. ELY.

Many thanks for your splendid box. The other officers were amazed by the variety, excellence and good taste of the contents. It was easy for them to see what we all know, that Narberth is a swell town full of swell people. I'll be mighty glad when I am back among you again.

DAVE CASEY.

I think that you folks are doing a swell job. I am sure that the boys overseas particularly, and those who won't get home for Christmas will appreciate your packages more than you realize. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

A. E. TOWNSEND, JR.

Enclosed with your Christmas box which arrived today was a card for acknowledgment of its receipt. However, use of the card alone would be a rather inadequate response to a testimonial of such thoughtfulness and care.

Most of the boys here have people back home who will remember them at Christmas. Having until recently been Reception Officer at this Center

I know there are others, and they are not few, who are not so fortunately situated. Being one of the fortunate ones, I can think of no better way to express my very sincere appreciation of your gifts than to pass them on, with certain exceptions, to boys who otherwise may feel pretty blue this Christmas. The exceptions I make are with respect to those marked "Narberth." They will serve as a tangible link to a town where some pretty swell people live.

Your gifts are going to give a lot of pleasure to quite a few boys who are going to be homesick on Christmas Day and not the least of your gifts are the two pictures of the scene at the dedication of the Service Flag. They bring home right into our tents.

Merry Christmas!

B. PAUL COTTER.

Mrs. Brackbill's

Corn Meal Mush
Apple Butter
Home Cured
Dried Beef
Great Valley Mills Cereals

Brackbill's

Farm Markets
SUBURBAN SQUARE
Ardmore, Pa.

WAR takes no holiday!

Please do not send Christmas Greetings by Long Distance!

This Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, telephone lines must be kept clear for essential war calls.

We must ask you to forego your usual Long Distance greetings this year—to make no Long Distance calls unless they concern the war or are otherwise urgent.

Your cooperation will help clear the lines for the vital calls of war—and for the calls by men in Army camps and Navy Yards far from home.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA

LEGAL NOTICES

No. 344

AN ORDINANCE

To Establish a Police Force for the Protection of the Borough of Narberth and to Fix the Salaries for the Officers thereof.

THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF NARBERTH DOES ORDAIN:

SECTION 1. That a police force be and the same is hereby established to consist of a Sergeant of Police and not more than five regular and probationary patrolmen to be appointed by Council. The period of probation shall be six months.

SECTION 2. The said Sergeant of Police and patrolmen shall be under the direction of the Borough as to the time during which the same shall perform their duties. The Borough may for cause and without pay suspend any policeman until the succeeding regular meeting of Council at which meeting Council may discharge or reappoint such policeman.

SECTION 3. The salary of the Sergeant of Police shall be Two Thousand Five Hundred and Fourteen (\$2,514.00) Dollars per year, payable in semi-monthly installments on the fifteenth and last days of each month.

SECTION 4. The salary of a regular patrolman shall be Two Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty-five (\$2,325.00) Dollars per year, payable in semi-monthly installments on the fifteenth and last days of each month.

SECTION 5. The salary of a probationary patrolman shall be Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) per year, payable in semi-monthly installments on the fifteenth and last days of each month.

SECTION 6. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith and specifically the following ordinances are hereby repealed:

An ordinance approved December 9, 1939, numbered 283 and entitled "Ordinance to Establish a Police Force

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for Narberth and to fix the salaries of the policemen therein."

An ordinance approved March 10, 1940 numbered 272 and entitled "An Ordinance to Amend Ordinance No. 283, numbered 394 and entitled "An Ordinance to Amend Ordinance No. 283."

Passed this 14th day of November A. D. 1942.

Attest: RUTH W. GRACE, Secretary of Council.

Approved this 15th day of November A. D. 1942.

RICHARD L. MILLER, Burgess.

THE BUDGET for Expenditures of the Borough of Narberth has been prepared by Council subject to consideration at the regular Council Meeting on Monday, January 11, 1943, at 8 o'clock P. M. in the Elms Hall.

It is on file in the Secretary's Office, Elms Hall, for inspection, between the hours of eight o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. (Not available after 12 o'clock noon on Saturdays or Sundays.)

RUTH W. GRACE, Secretary, Borough of Narberth.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

THE NATIONAL BANK OF NARBERTH, NARBERTH, PA.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The National Bank of Narberth for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting, will be held at said Bank on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1943 at 2 P. M.

Attest: RUTH W. GRACE, Secretary.

Approved this 15th day of November A. D. 1942.

Private Charles J. Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lowe, 9 Schiller av., Narberth, recently graduated as an airplane mechanic from Keesler Field, Miss.

Staff Sergeant Edward V. Wright, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Wright, 310 Chestnut av., Narberth, has entered the Officer Candidate School at Ft. Riley, Kansas. Upon successful completion of the three month course of instruction, he will be commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the U. S. Cavalry.

Edwin C. Town, Jr., a U-7 in the Naval Reserve, will graduate from Yale University on Saturday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Town, 200 Narberth av., Narberth.

ANNA V. CAMPBELL, 226 Montgomery Avenue, Narberth, Pa.

Or her Attorneys, POX AND MCGILL, Esqs., 319 Swede Street, Norristown, Pa.

ESTATE OF WALTON M. WENTZ, Late of Narberth, Deceased. Letters Testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment, without delay, to:

FANNIE KOUTZ WENTZ, 205 Wayne Ave., Narberth, Pa.

Or her Attorneys, HENRY L. ERYE, 1408 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.

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Church News

MERION FRIENDS MEETING

Montgomery av. and Meeting House la. Merion

9:45 A. M.—First Day (Sunday) School
11:00 A. M.—Meeting for Worship.
7:00 P. M.—Annual Candlelight Carol Singing.

BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Rev. Robert E. Kelgton, Pastor
Narberth, Pa.

SUNDAY
9:45 A. M.—Church School.
10:00 A. M.—Adult Class.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon by the pastor.
7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship.

8:00 P. M.—Class in Religious Education. "How to Teach Religion."

NARBERTH METHODIST CHURCH
Rex and Price ays.
Rev. Carl R. Hammerly, Minister

9:45 A. M.—Church School. Henry A. Frye, superintendent. Annual Christmas program by the primary and Junior departments.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the Rev. Carl R. Hammerly. "Christmas at Its Best." Baptism and reception of members.

2:00 P. M.—Christmas Music. Vesper Service. A Christmas Meditation by Rev. Kenneth L. Wilson, a writer with the American Baptist Publication Society.

TUESDAY
2:00 P. M.—Annual Christmas Party for the Primary Department of the Sunday School.

NARBERTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Windsor and Gravelly av.
Rev. Bryant M. Kirkland, Pastor
John Van Ness, D.D., Pastor Emeritus

SUNDAY
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
10:00 A. M.—Men's Bible Class.
11:00 A. M.—Worship Service.
Junior Church Nursery.
7:45 P. M.—Evening Service.

WEDNESDAY
8:00 P. M.—Bible Study. Books of the Bible. The Rev. Kirkland.
9:00 P. M.—Young People's recreation hour. Ping pong and shuffleboard.

FRIDAY
7:30 P. M.—Boys' Club meeting.

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11:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Service.
8:00 P. M.—Evening Service.

WEDNESDAY
8:00 P. M.—Evening meeting.
Reading room at 8 Rittenhouse Place in open week-days from 9:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. Wednesday from 9 to 9:45 P. M. Thursday from 7:30 to 9:30 P. M. and Sunday from 1 to 5 P. M.

ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. James P. Todd, Pastor
Rev. Charles P. Connor
Rev. Charles T. Dinan
Daily masses: 7 and 8 A. M.
Sunday masses: 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 and 11 A. M.

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Woodbine and Narberth ays.
Rev. Clifton S. Smith, Pastor

SUNDAY
9:45 A. M.—Bible School for all ages
11:00 A. M.—Morning Service.
7:00 P. M.—Luther League.
7:45 P. M.—Community Service in Methodist Church.

WEDNESDAY
7:00 P. M.—Junior Choir rehearsal
8:00 P. M.—Senior Choir rehearsal
SATURDAY
9:30 A. M.—Pre-confirmation class.
10:30 A. M.—Confirmation class.
11:30 A. M.—Advanced class.

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Lesson-Sermon

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 20. The Golden Text is: "Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world." (Acts 15:18).

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MISS NORMA BAILEY TO WED L. H. TILLY

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Bailey, 607 Essex ave., Narberth, announce the engagement of their daughter, Norma Grace Bailey, to Private Lewis H. Tilly Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Herbert Tilly, 42 Overhill rd., Cynwyd.

Miss Bailey is a graduate of Haverford Junior College. Private Tilly, who is in the Quartermasters Corps of the U. S. Army, is stationed in New Orleans, La.

JUNIOR CLUBWOMEN PLAN BOOK CLUB PARTY

The Book Club of the Junior Women's Community Club of Narberth will hold its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. James Pollock Dudley at Narberth on December 28.

Miss John Eidenberg is chairman.

Christmas Boxes

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An accurate list of the numerous men and women who were engaged in the task of wrapping and packing the nearly 5000 gifts which were sent, each article was prepared in a highly attractive and painstaking manner, calling for a corps of cabinet workers which established a record for the town which had never been attained before and which it will be hard to exceed.

Mrs. Laura McCaffrey took the lead on the part of the big job and evidence of her great skill in getting things done was afforded by the gift of a beautiful lounge robe which she received from her husband. Apparently they thought she was entitled to quite a special gift as a result of the untiring manner in which she spent herself in so splendidly executing the important accountability which was assigned to her.

Her work won't be done, however, until she sends OUR TOWN a list of her helpers and the Editor is insistent that this should be forthcoming without delay.

Another lady to whom ardent accolades are due is Mrs. J. J. Cabrey, whose daily task it was for many weeks to keep close tabs on the hundreds of addresses which were involved and which were subject to numerous shifts as the authorities kept the mail on the move. Also she was charged to keep constantly after those families who apparently believed that all changes in location were known by the Draft Board and who as a consequence thought it was not necessary to advise the committee of new addresses.

These changes continued right to the hour the boxes were in the mail but no trouble was too great to make sure they were properly forwarded, and the impressive record certainly entitles the chairman of the List Committee to sit at the head table when the chief honors of the occasion are being bestowed.

Likewise, Thomas W. Merkle's performance warrants large acclaim as he proved himself a postal specialist par excellence by the manner in which he handled the complicated mailing of the numerous packages, each of them insured and each calling for its own different quota of charges. In addition, the labels, two on each box, had to be letter-perfect, and the Mailing Chairman saw to it that they were, as he never failed to remember that only the strictest scrutiny would land the gifts at their precise destination in the quickest, order practicable.

Thomas also rated a lounging robe and it's strange the girls never thought of it...or perhaps they have a particularly nice velvet coat in mind for him for Christmas?

In harmony with the general theme of the Christmas plan, henceforth no man will leave Narberth for the Service without some tangible evidence of good-will and friendship from his fellow-citizens. The American Legion Auxiliary will see to this, and it will be a nice parcel of useful gifts they will have for each man who goes away, all without the need of any collectors or contributions.

Along with the package there will be a letter to the new recruit, a letter which should be much more than a casual or effusive expression from those on the home-front, as an au revoir message is called for which should carry sentiments too frequently overlooked when the War is discussed.

The Chairman of the Committee has some ideas of what this letter should contain, but he desires others to concern themselves about it, as it is regarded as a matter of particular importance, and it is hoped that substantial suggestions will come from those who are aware of exactly what is involved and who can see the opportunity afforded to add to the general morale of the young men who are going forth to accept a chief role in the heroic fray.

THE CHAIRMAN

• HIGH NOTES •

by
DAVID MALICKSON
Class of '945 — Lower Merion High School

During a special assembly on December 11, for the L. M. fellows who were born before 1923, Lieutenant Herd, formerly a member of L. M.'s faculty, spoke to the boys about army routine. He explained what happens from the time of induction 'til the soldier is placed in some department.

Lieutenant Herd also told the boys how important it was for them to stay in school and get as much education as possible so that they could pass the examinations given for entering the field of Army work which they would want to do.

Following his discussion on army insurance and basic training, Lieutenant Herd answered many questions from the students.

Many schools are beginning to think about letting their students set up a Victory Corps, and L. M. is no exception. Any high school student, boy or girl, can join the Victory Corps if they follow the course of study given for joining their particular service. The Victory Corps, if L. M. adopts it, is made up of five services, which are: Land, Production, Community, Air, Sea.

Just to give you an idea as to what these courses are—for joining the Air Service a student must be able to fill these requirements: (1) a high school program which includes one year of Physics and three years of Mathematics; (2) a course in pre-flight Aeronautics; (3) a course in Auto Mechanics, Radio Electricity or a shop course for the repair and maintenance of aircraft; (4) a program of physical fitness; (5) a program of military training.

Narberth Women Have Given 18,000 Hours To Making Red Cross Surgical Dressings

Three hundred and eighty-four women have worked an average of 45 hours apiece since the Red Cross workroom in Elm Hall, Narberth, was opened in October, 1941, according to Mrs. George W. Orth, chairman of the Narberth Branch of the Red Cross.

The volunteer workers have put in nearly 18,000 hours on surgical dressings alone. Mrs. Orth said this week, since the surgical dressing unit was started in February, 1942. The workroom is open for surgical dressings on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. and for sewing on Thursday and Friday from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Those who knit for the Red Cross take that work home with them, but may come to the workroom for supplies during any of the above periods.

"We need still more workers," Mrs. Orth declared, "especially at this time of year. It is no longer a requirement that volunteers wear a Red Cross uniform. A wash dress and head covering is all that is necessary."

Mrs. Orth expressed great appreciation to Marius Chios, owner of the Arcadia Chios Restaurant, who has supplied the volunteers with hot soup or a hot dish of some sort without charge every noon since the workroom opened.

W. C. Alexander, Jr.

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the fact that when things were started here, they never failed to be successfully accomplished.

A gentleman and a scholar, in the sense of the best traditions, he qualified eminently as the typical "Philadelphia lawyer" of whom stories are told because of excellent legal discernment and a broad knowledge of human values which comprised no tolerance for any mere pedantry.

Thus his clientele was distinguished because of the notable personal and commercial interests he represented and those who depended on him so much for professional counsel, as well as those who knew him as a personal friend, will deplore his death as a grievous loss.

What he did for Narberth was without salary or stipend, but he was as faithful to his local task as if large emolument came from it, and those who were associated with him in the direction of the National Bank of Narberth state they shall long remember his sterling aid and the right he well earned to be regarded as a benefactor and proven friend of this community.

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Four Building Permits Issued in November

Four building permits were issued in Narberth during November for operations with a total value of \$1523. All were for repairs or alterations.

No oil burner permits were issued.

County Slashes

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ried on an extensive program of highway and bridge construction, costing over \$2,500,000.00.

The County has no bonded debt. Budgetary control has resulted in cash balances which eliminated the need for even short term borrowing.

The following statement was issued by Commissioners Peters, Hillegass and Menden in announcing the tax reduction for 1943:

"For several years it has been our considered policy to provide a balanced program of services to the taxpayers at the least possible expense. We are committed to the 'pay-as-you-go' plan of good house-keeping. These policies, we feel, are the ones which yield the best returns in the form of dividends to the taxpayers, dividends which take the form of increased services and permit lower taxes.

"It is our belief that with the Nation bending every effort towards prosecution of the war, we can make a contribution in the form of a further tax reduction which will better enable our taxpayers to meet their share of heavier income and other Federal taxes levied to finance the war effort."

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MARY JANE LAIRD TO BE BRIDE OF RICHARD J. LAFFERTY

Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Laird, 102 Summit Lane, Cynwyd, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Jane Laird, and Mr. Richard J. Lafferty, United States Army Signal Corps Reserve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Lafferty, of Philadelphia.

Miss Laird who is a graduate of the Emile Kridler Norris School, of Philadelphia, is a junior member of the Emergency Aid of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Lafferty attended Villanova College. He will be on active duty with the Signal Corps in May.

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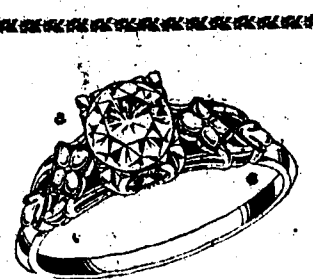


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Narberth School News

The Middle School of the Narberth Public School held its Christmas Program on Thursday, (December 17) at 10:30 a.m. All grades took part in the pageant, "Merry Christmas to the World", by Karen Asbrand. Miss White, the Geography teacher was the sponsor.

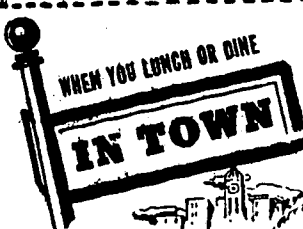
Billy and Ann, the American children, were played by Dick Squier and Susan Hoffman, Uncle Sam, by Charles McQuillan and Columbia, by Barbara Ely, Razzle and Dazzle, the two clowns, by Harry Watts and Skippy Thaw and the foreign children, as follows: English—Shirley McKeeney; Nan Simons, Eugen Peters, and Margie Povlack; French—Louise Cotter, Gail Brown, Anastasia Gorman, and Sally Hoyer; Chinese—Amy Stewart, Patsy Toole, Betty Jane Merkle, and Norene Runyon; Mexican—Tommy Lillis, Janie Diennen, Delord Patton, Jean Dickie, Sweden—Gwen Hunsicker, Jennie Nalsky, Charles Claphamson, Mary Jane Santini; Holland—Carol Lee Rollins, Patsy Rainey, Bob McConnell and Bobby Snyder. The four angels were played by Katharine Blum, Dianne Klingman, Baby Fischer and Betty Jean Evans. Mary was portrayed by Regina Deal.

The 4-9 section has been trimming a large paper tree with Defense Stamps in keeping with a war Christmas. They have also made a manger scene, modeling the figures in clay. The home room decorations are the same ones used last year in order to save paper.

The 5-2 section has been studying Mexico very extensively; in fact they have a real balcony freeze-dry complete with iron grills and flowers, which they constructed. It all makes the room very festive and an interesting place to study. The Mexican Christmas has proved colorful and fascinating too.

The Junior Red Cross, under the sponsorship of Miss Henry, has been painting flower containers and clam shell ash trays, making scrap books, bridge score cards, menu covers, baby-jackets, baby bonnets and hospital bags. They have collected and covered Readers Digests, gathered games and puzzles, and other activities which will continue after the Christmas season.

They wish you all a very Merry Christmas.



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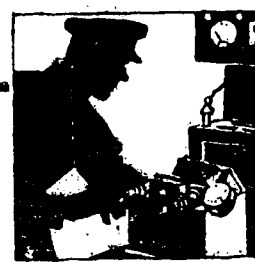
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LOS.

FUEL OIL RATION COUPONS—We are purchasing 1320 gallons of oil for domestic use in oil-burning heating plant in residence of Herbert A. Spencer, 221 Valley Road, Merion Station, Montgomery County, Pa. Any person having information of the above, please telephone Merion 0181.

NAVAL OFFICER'S HAT—Will the person who found Navy officer's hat in the Tavern at Cynwyd on Saturday night, Nov. 28, please as their patriotic duty, return same to owner at 1924 N. 61st St., Philadelphia. This is very urgent to owner.

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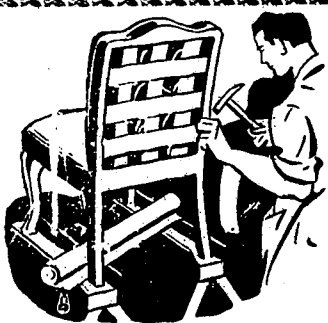
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Dear Customer,

For the first time, this week—in the midst of our holiday season—many of us felt the pinch of food shortages.

We are finding butter scarce in stores and restaurants; coffee is rationed; certain meat cuts are disappearing. There are indications that other rationing and economizing soon will be necessary.

The merchant is asked: Why are there shortages in foods, clothing, fuel oil and other necessities of life? Why must we bother with rationing?

From government sources, the Narberth Business Council has collected many technical answers. Here is one general explanation which we can all grasp and pass along to our grumbling neighbor.

To win this war means the consumption of vast resources of manpower, materials and transportation facilities that used to bring the consumer goods to our homes. Now, our soldiers and war supplies come first. We must tighten our belts. We must accept minor discomforts until the war is won.

Rationing is the first logical and major step. Rationing distributes smaller amounts equally to all and prevents hoarders from taking more than their just share. You know, as well as your merchants, that when the number of people wanting an article is greater than the supply, there are

always a few who will resort to hoarding.

Defeat hoarding and further our home front efforts by buying just what you need from week to week. Those who try to get more than their share will cause waste, spoilage and actual want for their neighbors.

Spike all rumors. If you find that an article is priced higher than on the Price Ceiling list posted in the store, report it to the management. In most cases, you will find that it is the result of a clerical error.

Today, you are faced with the job of the consumer in war time. You must keep your families healthy and happy while consumer goods, textiles, household, machinery, foods, everything we have considered essential to a well-ordered existence, are beginning to disappear from our retailers' shelves.

The problem is not so simple as a race between the market and our purse. The consumer must learn how to get along with less and how to make that less go further. How to choose wisely and how to care for what he has. You must know what foods are rich in vitamins and how to substitute for those that are scarce. You must understand textiles. You must understand the why of rationing, and must learn something of the retailer's problem.

It is the educated customer, making wartime adjustments with local merchants who will help win this war.

—NARBERTH BUSINESS COUNCIL

P. S.—An individual, a business council, a town grows, through constructive suggestions. You may have one that would point the way to a better future. If so, address it to the Narberth Business Council, Narberth, Pa. It will be confidentially treated and carefully considered.

Patriotism

MARIOS CHIOS Today, our patriotism is concentrated on winning the war. Local merchants and Narberth residents are working in a new unity to forge a community patriotism as the only solution to our mutual problems of wartime buying and selling.

Back of the willingness of businessmen and residents to cooperate in the winning of the war is their pride in their country's future. This pride in a country that guarantees individual liberties is also our guarantee of ultimate victory. Locally, it is our guarantee that Narberth's home front will exceed its quota of war effort. Let these efforts show that we of Narberth are proud to be Americans. **Marios Chios**

Shortages

Shortages are becoming the order of the day. Silk and nylon stockings are gone; a large manufacturer tells us that lisle or rayon mesh stockings are now out of production; leather purses and all-wool sweaters will soon be unobtainable.

But common sense, cooperation between merchant and customer, learning to accept substitutes with good grace, cultivating extra careful grooming and above all a living faith in the goal for which we are making our small sacrifices will help us to prove that we are as good soldiers in our way as the brave boys at the front.

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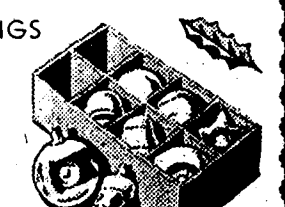
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